Steamship Co., and International Shipping Partners, Inc., Station A, P.O. Box 4216, 468 Commercial Street, Portland, ME 04101.

Vessel: SCOTIA PRINCE.

Society Expeditions, Inc., Society Expeditions GmbH, Discoverer Reederei GmbH, and Patrician Cruises Ltd., 2001 Western Avenue, Suite 300, Seattle, WA 98121.

Vessel: WORLD DISCOVERER.

The World of ResidenSea Ltd., and ResidenSea Resorts Ltd., 5200 Blue Lagoon Drive, Suite 790, Miami, FL 33126.

Vessel: THE WORLD.

Dated: June 14, 2002. Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND **HUMAN SERVICES**

#### Office of the Secretary

# National Institutes of Health; Statement of Delegation of Authority

Notice is hereby given that I have delegated to the Director, National Institutes of Health, the authority under Part B, Title IV, section 409I(a) and (b) of the Public Health Service (PHS) Act, as amended by Public Law 107-109 (Best Pharmaceuticals for Children Act), to (1) award contracts to entities that have the expertise to conduct pediatric clinical trials, to enable the entities to conduct pediatric studies concerning one or more of the drugs identified in the list described in subsection (a) of section 409I of the PHS Act, as amended, and (2) to develop and publish the list of drugs described in subsection (a) of section 409I of the PHS Act, as amended.

This delegation shall be exercised in accordance with the Department's applicable policies, procedures, guidelines and regulations. In addition, I ratify and affirm any actions taken by the Director, National Institutes of Health, or subordinates which involved the exercise of the authorities delegated herein prior to the effective date of this delegation.

This delegation is effective upon date of signature.

Dated: June 12, 2002.

# Tommy G. Thompson,

Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

## Agency for Toxic Substances and **Disease Registry**

[Program Announcement 02155]

## Linking Chronic Disease and **Environmental Data Sources; Notice of** the Availability of Funds

#### A. Purpose

The Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY) 2002 funds for a cooperative agreement program to conduct research on the potential impact of environmental exposures on chronic disease outcomes. This program addresses the "Healthy People 2010" focus area of Environmental Health.

Measurable outcomes of the program will be in alignment with the following performance goals for ATSDR: (1) Ascertain the relationship between exposure to toxic substances and disease and (2) Build and enhance effective partnerships.

## **B.** Authority and Catalog of Federal **Domestic Assistance Number**

This program is authorized in Sections 104(i)(1)(E), (7), (9) and (15) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) [42 U.S.C. 9604 (i)(1)(E), (7), (9) and (15)]. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number is 93.206.

# C. Eligible Applicants

Assistance will be provided to official public health agencies of States or their bona fide agents or instrumentalities. This includes the District of Columbia, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Republic of Palau, and Federally recognized Indian Tribal governments. Also eligible are State organizations, including State universities, State colleges, and State research institutions, who must establish that they meet their respective State legislature's definition of a State entity or political subdivision to be considered an eligible applicant.

Note: Title 2 of the United States Code section 1611 states that an organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code that engages in lobbying activities is not eligible to receive Federal funds constituting an award, grant or loan.

### D. Availability of Funds

Approximately \$400,000 is available in FY 2002 to fund two to three awards. It is expected that the average award will be \$150,000, ranging from \$100,000 to \$200,000. The award(s) are expected to begin on or about September 1, 2002, and will be made for a 12-month budget period within a project period of up to three years. Funding estimates are subject to change.

Continuation awards within an approved project period will be made on the basis of satisfactory progress as evidenced by required reports and the availability of funds.

Matching funds are not required for this program.

Use of Funds

Funds may be expended for reasonable program purposes, such as personnel, travel, supplies and services. Funds for contractual services may be requested; however, the primary recipient of ATSDR funds, must perform a substantive role in carrying out project activities and not merely serve as a conduit for an award to another party or provide funds to an ineligible party. Equipment may be purchased with these funds, however, the equipment proposed should be appropriate and reasonable for the research activity to be conducted. Equipment may be acquired only when authorized and the application should provide a justification of need to acquire equipment, the description, and the cost of purchase versus lease. At the completion of the project, the equipment must be returned to ATSDR.

## Funding Priorities

Priority will be given to the proposed project that demonstrates the existence of both well documented sources of chronic disease data (e.g., populationbased cancer registry, birth defects registry, or other source of chronic disease data) and existing, well documented sources of environmental

## E. Program Requirements

In conducting activities to achieve the purpose of this program, the recipient will be responsible for activities under 1. Recipient Activities, and ATSDR will be responsible for the activities listed under 2. ATSDR Activities.

### 1 . Recipient Activities

a. Develop a research project which examines the possible relationship between environmental exposures and chronic disease by linking data sources. Provide scientific information concerning environmental exposures